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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kouichi AKAGI, et al.

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FOR: PILOT NOZZLE FOR A GAS TURBINE COMBUSTOR AND SUPPLY PATH CONVERTER

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In response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.